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FELLOWS & ROSCOE,

WHARF STREET,

HAVE FOR SALE

THE FOLLOWING GOODS,

TO ARRIVE PER

"Dusty Miller,"
"Phillipine,"
"Excelsior."
and "LOCKET,"

IRON METALS, HARDWARE, &c.

Bar Iron—Assorted expressly for this market;	Fry Pans;
Sheet Iron—Nos. 24 to 27;	Camp Ovens and Covers;
Zinc Sheathing;	Wrought Iron Chests;
Copper do;	Twine;
Lead Pipe;	Door Mats;
Shot;	Walking Sticks;
Tin Plates, and Block Tin;	Mill Saw Files;
Wire;	Sad Irons;
	Saws, &c., &c.

CAST STEEL—Octagon and square.
SPRING STEEL.
TOE STEEL.

TINWARE.

Camp Kettles:	Cash Boxes;
Plates;	Trays, &c., &c.
Baths;	

HATS AND CAPS.

DRY GOODS.

Woollen Cloths;	Gloves;
Fancy Flannel Shirts;	Shawls;
Serge Shirts;	Collars and Sleeves;
Clothing—Coats, Pants, and Vests;	Tapes, Pins, Belts, and Collars,
Mens' and Womens' Underclothing;	Fancy Dry Goods, and Haberdashery;
Hose;	Head Dresses, Laces, &c.;
Overcoats, Capes, &c.;	Chenille and Hair Nets;
Neck Ties, Scarfs, &c;	Umbrellas.
Handkerchiefs;	

LACE CURTAINS—And a General Assortment of Dry Goods suitable for this market;
INDIA RUBBER COATS, BOOTS, LEGGINGS, &c.;
PIANOFORTES;
LOOKING GLASSES—72 by 48, and a General Assortment of smaller sizes;
SADDLERY;
TOBACCO PIPES;
EARTHENWARE—White Granite, and other descriptions;
SODA ASH, CAUSTIC SODA, PALM OIL, and ROSIN;
OILMENS' STORES—Including Lea & Perrins' Worcestershire Sauce;
STEEL PENS—Joseph Gillott & Son's.
au17 1m

VICTORIA
—AND—
SPRINGFIELD
NURSERIES,
Seed, Fruit, & Floral
ESTABLISHMENT,
No. 5 FORT STREET, VICTORIA, V. I.

JAY & CO.

BEG TO INFORM THE INHABITants of Vancouver Island and British Columbia that they have opened the above premises for the sale of every description of

Agricultural, Vegetable & Flower Seeds

Also, the choicest Fruits, Flowers, and Vegetables, in Season.
Orders for all kinds of Fruit and Ornamental Trees and Bushes, will be executed from their stock with care and despatch.

Gardens & Orchards Laid Out,

Planted and kept in order, by contract or otherwise.
JAY & Co. invite especial attention to their Stock of
VEGETABLE and FLOWER SEEDS!
Which has been grown and harvested on this Island, under the superintendence of one of the firm, who for many years carried on an extensive Nursery and Seed business in England.
CATALOGUES, with a Treatise on the Cultivation of the above Seeds, will shortly be published, and may then be had on application to J. & Co.
COUNTRY PRODUCE of the finest description sold on commission. au24 1m

GREAT BARGAINS!
GREAT BARGAINS!
COME, SEE, AND SUIT YOURSELVES.

BROWN & MATTHEWS
Have just received from England, by late arrival, the following
CHOICE BOOTS AND SHOES,
Which they offer for sale at prices far below any that have ever yet been imported into the colony, viz.:
NEAPOLITAN GRAIN BOOTS,
Ditto CALF ditto,
BALMORAL CALF GOLOSHES,
Ditto ditto ELASTIC SIDES,
KIP BALMORAL CALF GOLOSHES.
au31

Real Estate Agent.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAS OPENED an Office on Courtney street, near Government, where he intends carrying on business as Real Estate Agent.
se4 1m W. J. McDONALD.

MISCELLANEOUS.

S. MOLITOR & CO.,
ASSAYERS,
Yates Street, Next Door to Wells, Fargo & Co.
VICTORIA, V. I.,
And No. 118 Montgomery Street,
Between Sacramento and California streets, San Francisco, California.
Gold Melted and Assayed.
RETURNS GIVEN IN FROM THREE to six hours. The correctness of our Assays is fully guaranteed.
Melting done in the presence of depositors.
Grains and Clippings brought in account.
Particular attention paid to Assays of Ores.
Lessons given in Assaying Gold, and Gold Bearing Minerals.
Agency for L. OERTLING'S Assaying and Ballion Balances.
☞ Refer to Bankers in this city and San Francisco. au22 2m

FOR SALE.
By the Undersigned,
A SMALL LOT OF
R. LOPEZ & CO.'S
WELL KNOWN BRAND OF
Fine Bottled Sherry and Port,
A. F. MAIN, Broker,
Government street,
Opposite Broughton Street. au18 1m

North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
ESTABLISHED 1809.
Incorporated by Royal Charter and Empowered by Special Acts of Parliament.
Subscribed Capital, £2,000,000 Sterling.
Accumulated and Invested Funds, £1,371,000 Sterling.
LONDON OFFICES:—No. 38 Threadneedle street and No 4 New Bank Buildings, Lothbury, E. C.
☞ This Company will ever distinguish itself in its promptitude and liberality in the settlement of claims.
Insurance against Fire effected upon—Buildings and their Contents, Timber and Coal, Ships in harbor, with or without cargoes on board, Ships under repair, or in course of construction.
Agents for Fire, Vancouver's Island (Victoria.)
SIFKEN BROTHERS & CO.,
ap21 Corner of Wharf and Johnson st

Cosmopolitan Livery and Sale Stable
PLASKITT & GLIDE,
SUCCESSORS TO JOHN PARKER.
THE UNDERSIGNED, IN UNDERtaking the management of the above Stables (on and after the 1st November,) are determined to leave nothing unattempted on their part to make it the MOST THOROUGH ESTABLISHMENT in the city.
The old patrons of Mr. Parker, and all who want A GOOD OUTFIT, DAY OR NIGHT,
In riding or driving, will find Harry and Bill on hand to accommodate them.
We have also Drays and Wagons, and will attend promptly to all orders left at the Stable, or at Mr Backus' Auction House.
Horses left on Livery or for Sale will have the best treatment.
au28 1m PLASKITT & GLIDE.

SEARBY & MOORE,
HAVE RECEIVED
By Express from London,
A FURTHER SUPPLY OF
DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S
(The Genuine)
CHLORODYNE,
Maw's Fountain Feeding Bottles,
Improved Breast Pumps,
Elastic Socks,
" Knee Caps,
" Abdominal Supporters,
White's Moc-Main Lever Trusses,
Pepsine de Boudalt,
Benzine Collas,
Bayley's Ess. Bouquet.
Etc. ..... Etc. ..... Etc.
GOVERNMENT STREET.
Auges 23d, 1863. au22 tf

JULIUS LOEWI & Co.
NO. 12 YATES STREET,
HAVE ON HAND
And Offer for Sale
Fancy Goods
Gents' Furnishing Goods,
Hosiery, Perfumery,
Looking Glasses,
Playing Cards,
CUTLERY,
Combs and Brushes,
Pipes, Assorted,
Together with a
COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF
YANKEE NOTIONS!
ETC., ETC.,
Coal Oil Lamps!!
TUMBLERS!
Being in constant receipt of these articles from
EUROPE AND NEW YORK,
We are prepared to sell the same at
VERY LOW PRICES.
P. S.—Orders from British Columbia and the Sound promptly attended to. se1 1m

Oregon Produce!
FLOUR—Magnolia, Extra;
BACON—In Gunny Bags;
BUTTER—Fresh Roll, in Kegs;
FOR SALE BY
au20 tf LOWE BROTHERS.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW
VARIETY STORE.
On Yates Street, Near Douglas,
South side, next door to the Engine House.
AT THIS STORE WILL BE FOUND a full assortment of goods selected expressly
FOR FAMILY USE,
CONSISTING OF
SPLENDID
PLATED WARE,
FINE
CHINA TEA SETS,
Fifty-three Pieces.
CROCKERY WARE,
GLASSWARE,
AXES,
HATCHETS,
HOES,
BROOMS,
BUCKETS.
TUBS,
LOOKING GLASSES,
IVORY-HANDLED CARVERS,
NAILS,
SHOVELS,
SPADES,
TINWARE,
FURNITURE.
New and Second-Hand.
And many other things too numerous to mention.
☞ Please call, and give the NEW VARIETY STORE a trial. se24

Notice to all Exporters of Goods and Merchandise.
BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNMENT of his Majesty, the King of the Hawaiian Islands, the undersigned hereby notifies all Exporters of Goods and Merchandise to that Kingdom that the Import duty thereon will be calculated and levied on their Invoice value, and that, in order to the Custom-House at the Port of Shipment to be precise amount of the increase in the Invoice value of said Goods and Merchandise arising from the depreciation of the currency at the time of said Invoice, lest that no redress in the Kingdom aforesaid will be allowed, unless the Invoices, as presented for clearance at the Custom House be accompanied with a Certificate under the Seal and Signature of the undersigned, stating the percentage of the increase in the value of said Invoices at the time of their date arising from the depreciation of the currency, as aforesaid.
The undersigned, on proof that the invoices are calculated in depreciated currency, and of the percentage of that increase arising from that depreciation, is authorized to issue Certificates of the same, on presentation of the Invoices, to all applicants, they paying the usual fee of five dollars for each Certificate.
HENRY RHODES,
Consul.
His Hawaiian Majesty's Consulate,
Victoria, V. I., July, 1863. au5 tf&dw

Ex "Strathallan,"
FROM LONDON,
BRANDY—Hennessy's and Martell's,
OLD TOM—Swaine, Boord & Co.'s and Worthington's,
SHERRY—Various grades,
CLARET— do. do.,
ALE and PORTER—Various Brands,
ALE—In Bulk and Case.
For sale by
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co
an20 1m Wharf street

CAUTION.
A ROBBERY OF NOTES OF the Bank of British North America has been committed on my premises, the numbers of which are known to me and for the recovery whereof a Reward has been offered, I therefore warn all persons from taking any such Notes, as I shall take legal proceedings for the protection of my rights.
au23 L. D. LOWENBERG.

HATS! HATS! HATS!
R. H. ADAMS,
HAS JUST RETURNED FROM SAN Francisco with an entire New Stock of Hats and CAPS. He would particularly call attention to an entire
NEW STYLE LADIES' FELT HAT,
The Latest Style in London and Paris—and there is nothing else worn in San Francisco of
LADY'S WALKING OR RIDING HAT.
Also, a Beautiful Assortment of
INFANTS' AND CHILDRENS' HATS;
Boys' Hats and Caps with a full assortment of Gents' Silk Hats, Soft Hats and Caps
Latest Styles and Best Quality, Cheap
ADAMS, HATTER, YATES ST.,
AGENT FOR
Grover & Baker's
SEWING MACHINES.
A full assortment of which will be on hand in a few days. au22 tf

Donnolly & Co's'
NEWLY IMPROVED
Yeast Powders.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN appointed sole Agents for Vancouver's Island and British Columbia for the above mentioned celebrated brand of Yeast Powders, now beg to intimate that they have always an assortment on hand for sale.
N. B.—To prevent counterfeits all Donnolly & Co.'s Newly Improved Yeast Powders have red top labels with our name attached.
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co.
se1 tf

Walton & Barnett,
STOCK BROKERS.
LAND AND COMMISSION AGENTS,
Government street,
MINERS AND OTHER CAPITALISTS desirous of finding investments, should apply at the office of the above, who generally possess the earliest information of anything in their line offered in the Market.
A Register of Prices of and transactions in Mining Stock kept and corrected daily.
LOANS NEGOTIATED. au21 1m

London and Lancashire
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
(REGISTERED.)
Capital One Million.
Offices 73 and 74 King William st., London
AND
Water street, Liverpool.
HENDERSON & BURNABY
HAVING BEEN APPOINTED AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to issue Policies for Fire Insurance, and to settle all claims without delay at their office.
se 2 Wharf street, Victoria, V. I.

EDUCATIONAL.

St. Ann's School
FOR
YOUNG LADIES!
VIEW STREET, VICTORIA.
THIS INSTITUTION IS CONDUCTED by the Sisters of St. Ann. The discipline of the School is mild but firm and regular; strict attention to its regulations required at all times. The cultivation of the pupils will be evented by every gentle means, and their success rewarded by an annual distribution of premiums, previous to the Vacation, which will commence July 15th. The Scholastic year will open on the first of September.
Difference of religion is no obstacle to admission into the Institution but whilst pupils are left without any interference to follow their own profession, good order requires that they should conform to the general regulations of the establishment.
Parents may rest assured that every necessary attention will be paid to the comfort of pupils, whilst the utmost care will be taken to nourish in their minds those principles of virtue and morality which alone can make education profitable.
UNIFORM.
The uniform consists of a white muslin dress, and one of light blue merino for summer, and a dark blue dress for winter, with capes of the same material; a straw bonnet trimmed with light blue, and one trimmed with dark blue. The uniform is obligatory only on Sundays and festivals. Each pupil must be provided with six changes of underclothing.
THE SYSTEM OF EDUCATION
Comprises Orthography, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Grammar, Geography, and the use of the Globes, History, Botany, Natural Philosophy, Composition, French, Music, Drawing, Painting, Plain and Fancy Needlework, in all its variety.
TERMS:

Board and Tuition per Quarter	$60 00
Washing " "	9 00
Music " "	18 00
Drawing " "	6 00
Painting " "	9 00
Day Scholars, First Class "	14 00
" " 2d Class "	9 00

OBSERVATIONS.
1. No pupil will be received without paying quarterly in advance, and should a pupil be withdrawn before the expiration of the quarter, no reduction will be made for the remaining time, or for a partial stay from School.
2. The pupils receive no visits, except on Saturdays.
3. Every year there is Vacation of six weeks; the pupils who come to do so can pass this time at the Convent.
au26 tf

SCHOOL FOR BOYS.
Under the Patronage of the RIGHT REV. DR. DEMERS, and the Direction of the Fathers Oblates of Mary Immaculate.
THREE MEMBERS OF THE ORDER of the OBLATES having arrived from England intend to take charge of this School, boys will find in it all the advantages of a full course of education.
The course of training will comprise the Greek, Latin, French, and English Languages, Natural Philosophy, Rhetoric, Logic, Euclid, Mathematics, History (Ancient and Modern), Geography, Book-keeping, Arithmetic, Writing, Music, etc.
For further particulars apply to the Rev. T. Morgan, O. M. I., at the residence of the Roman Catholic Bishop, Victoria au20 2m

Collegiate School for Boys,
VICTORIA, V. I.
VISITOR—The Right Reverend the Lord Bishop.
PRINCIPAL—The Rev. Charles T. Woods, M. A., late Fellow and Dean.
VICE PRINCIPAL—The Rev. William Sheldon Reece, M. A., late Scholar of Emmanuel College, Cambridge.
ASSISTANT MASTER—Robert Williams M. A., Cantab. (Senior Classical Medallist and Senior Bachelor of the University of Cambridge.)
DRAWING MASTER—Mr. E. Vincent.
PROFESSOR OF SINGING—Mr. Digby Palmer.
Course of Instruction:
The Greek and Latin Classics,
Mathematics—Arithmetic, Geometry, Algebra, Trigonometry.
The English course comprises Geography, History, Book-keeping, Astronomy, Natural Philosophy, &c
Modern Languages—French and Spanish.
Drawing and Singing.
The Collegiate School is conducted on the principles of the old established English Grammar Schools, a Religious Education being the recognized basis of all instruction.
TERMS.
Under 12 years of age..... $5 per month
Under 18 years of age..... $6 per month
Over 18 years of age..... $8 per month
No Extras. Fees payable in advance.
Terms for boarders, or any other particulars, may be known on application to the Rev. the Principal.
au 17 6m

W. NEWBERY,
Saddle, Collar,
AND HARNESS MAKER,
RESPECTFULLY INFORMS THE Citizens of Victoria and the public generally that he has commenced the above business on
GOVERNMENT STREET,
OPPOSITE THE ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL
And hopes by paying strict attention to business and by charging moderately to obtain a share of public patronage.
A GOOD STOCK OF
English, Mexican and Other Saddles,
Also, a General Assortment of
HARNESS, RIDING BRIDLES, WHIPS AND SPURS ON HAND.
Wm. Newbery having been in business for the last five years in England, and being acquainted with some of the best Manufacturers, is enabled to import every article in his line and supply the same to his customers at a
LOWER RATE
THAN CAN BE FOUND ELSEWHERE.
☞ Orders from British Columbia punctually attended to.
REPAIRING
NEATLY DONE ON THE SHORTEST NOTICE.
au30 1m

Dentistry. Dentistry.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAS IMPORTED the finest Mineral Teeth and Dental materials that are to be found on the Pacific Coast, and is ready to furnish sets or single teeth in the best style. Dentistry in all its branches will be attended to by
DR. ZELNER.
Office in the Drug Store, cor. Government and Yates street
☞ Dr. Zelner has made arrangements during his absence from Victoria with Dr. Nicholes, late of London, who will be in attendance daily and he guarantees that perfect satisfaction will be given in all cases where his services may be required. au27

Best Stout Porter!
THE FINEST IN THE MARKET IS
Barclay & Perkins',
IMPORTED IN BULK and BOTTLED BY
ELLIOTT & STUART,
FAMILIES AND THE TRADE SUPplied with the above in any quantity,
LION BREWERY OFFICE,
Langley street.
August 12th, 1863. au24 tf

Searby & Moore's
FLUID EXTRACT OF
SARSAPARILLA
AND
IODIDE OF POTASSIUM,
IS THE BEST PREPARATION OF THE KIND.
Government street, Victoria, V. I.
au28 1m

Queen Insurance Company,
Capital, £1,000,000, Sterling.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE BEEN appointed Agents for the above Company, and are now prepared to issue Policies
au20 1m DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co.

GROCERIES.

GOLDSTONE & BROTHER,
(LATE SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE,)
COMMISSION MERCHANT
Importer and Wholesale Dealer in
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS
Dry Goods, Clothing,
BOOTS AND SHOES, Etc., Etc., Etc.,
se4 3m Wharf street, Victoria, V. I.

THE BRITISH STORE.
W. A. COOPER,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL
Provision Merchant,
Dealer in Groceries, &c.,
51, GOVERNMENT STREET
N. B. The true English principle adopted of
ONE PRICE TO ALL.
Miners going to the Diggings
Supplied Wholesale.
se 4 tf

Sporborg & Rueff,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Importers and Wholesale Dealers
—IN—
Groceries, Provisions,
Boots and Shoes.
WHARF STREET.....VICTORIA, V. I.
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THE
Bank of British Columbia
Incorporated by Royal Charter.
Capital, ... $1,250,000.
IN 12,500 SHARES, OF $100 EACH,
WITH POWER TO INCREASE.
GOLD DUST and BARS Purchased,
—OR—
Advances made upon the same.
—ALSO—
Received on Consignment, and disposed of as advised,
FREE OF CHARGE.
CURRENT ACCOUNTS are opened for any amount not less than One Hundred Dollars, and every facility granted to traders and others for the transaction of business.
DEPOSIT RECEIPTS issued for money lodged for fixed periods, bearing the following rates of Interest:
On money lodged for 1 month certain, at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum.
On money lodged for 3 months certain, at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum.
On money lodged for 6 months certain, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum.
On money lodged for 12 months certain, at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.
No partial payment made on these receipts. Interest payable half yearly, and the principal not due until the expiry of the period for which the money is lodged.
DISCOUNTS AND ADVANCES.—Approved Bills discounted, and advances made upon Bills of Lading, (accompanied by Policies of Insurance,) for goods shipped to or from the Colonies.
DRAFTS AND LETTERS OF CREDIT issued on Great Britain and the Colonies, also on New York and San Francisco, and bills on these places purchased or sent for collection.
CREDITS issued on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York, authorizing payment for Goods shipped from those ports to the Colonies; all such shipments to be Insured and Hypothecated to the Bank.
GOVERNMENT and other SECURITIES received for safe custody, and 1 per cent. Commission charged on withdrawing the same. Interest and Dividends collected on account of constituents at the rate of one-eighth per cent on the amount collected, if payable in Victoria.
GOLD DUST AND BARS purchased, or advances made upon the same.
Office hours, 10 to 3. Saturday's, 10 to 1.
JAMES D. WALKER, Manager.
Victoria, September 12, 1862. se18

JOSEPH C. RIDGE,
IMPORTER OF
British Merchandize,
Corner of
Wharf and Fort Streets,
RECEIVES
BY EVERY SHIP FROM ENGLAND
A General Assortment of
MERCHANDIZE.
se1 1m

Virginia Tobacco.
ARRIVAL FROM NORFOLK OF
20 DIFFERENT BRANDS
—OF—
PLUG TOBACCO,
Open, and for Sale by
FRANK CAMPBELL,
Johnson street, and Waddington Alley.
se4 1m

California and Oregon
STEAMSHIP LINE,
Carrying H. M. Mails,
THE FOLLOWING STEAMERS WILL leave San Francisco during September and October:
SIERRA NEVADA....via Portland..September 7
BRO. JONATHAN.....Direct..... " 17
SIERRA NEVADA....via Portland.... " 27
BRO JONATHAN..... do ..... October, 7
SIERRA NEVADA....Direct..... " 17
BRO JONATHAN.....via Portland.... " 27
For Freight or Passage apply to
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.,
se11 tf Agents.

E. C. Waddington,
LAND AGENT
AND STOCK BROKER
Government st. next St Nicholas Hotel
E. C. WADDINGTON HAVING RESided in Victoria for over four years and during that period watched attentively the nature of Real Estate, is in a position of offering valuable assistance to persons wishing to buy, sell, or lease property, negotiate Mortgages, Transfer Mining and other Stock.
Plans of Victoria and every District in the Colony; also a list of Lots for sale, etc, can be seen at the above office. au 20 tf

LD LOWENBERG,
REAL ESTATE AGENT,
No 36, East side of Government street, between Broughton and Fort streets.
WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO selling, purchasing, and leasing property, to negotiating loans, and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.
Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing Homesteads, or making investments, will find on my Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street Farming or Gardening Land in every District; some of which afford a rare chance for investment.
Conveyances, leases, &c drawn up at reasonable rates. au23

HOTELS AND SALOONS.

ST. NICHOLAS
HOTEL!
GOVERNMENT ST.,
VICTORIA, V. I.
N. C. MATTHIESSEN,
P. MATTHIESSEN,
H. VALENTINER,
PROPRIETORS.
THIS CAPACIOUS AND ELEGANT Hotel is now open for the accommodation of the public. It is fitted up with all the conveniences of a FIRST-CLASS HOUSE, the rooms being well lighted, warmed and ventilated, and tastefully furnished. There is a large
Public Restaurant!
Connected with the Hotel, and a Ladies' Ordinary. It also contains Private Parlors, Suites of Rooms for parties etc.
THE CULINARY DEPARTMENT
Is under the management of a first-class cook, and the Bakery is provided with one of the celebrated HAMBURG OVENS, which turns out Bread unsurpassed by any in the world. Families supplied with Bread at the counter of the Restaurant. se13-1m

Oriental Hotel,
IN YATES STREET,
Corner of Oriental Alley.
Neatly Fitted up for Travellers
SUITES AND SINGLE ROOMS,
The Bedrooms are furnished with Spring Mattrasses.
THE BEST OF LIQUORS
To be had at the Bar, and
EXCELLENT BILLIARD TABLES!
In the Saloon. Unfurnished room may be had, if required.
se10 1m P. MANETTA, Proprietor.

Port Seaton House,
LAKE SEATON,
Harrison-Lillooet Route,
BRITISH COLUMBIA.
THIS HOUSE IS SITUATED AT THE foot of Lake Seaton, on the Harrison-Lillooet Route, and is distant three miles and a half from Lillooet, and, having been just completed and fitted up with Single Rooms, New Furniture, &c., offers excellent accommodation for the travelling public.
se9 TAYLOR & CO., Proprietors.

ROCK BAY HOUSE!
(BETWEEN THE BRIDGES,)
J. W. CROMER.
RESTAURANT,
Bowling Alley,
WINES, LIQUORS,
—AND—
CIGARS.
MEALS AT ALL HOURS.
se5 tf

BUSH TAVERN!
ESQUIMALT ROAD.
THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVING PURchased the interests of Sam Ramous in the above house, would respectfully call the attention of their friends and the public to their Choice Stock of
WINES & LIQUORS,
Which will be found of a superior quality; and would also give notice that they are prepared to furnish
MEALS AT ALL HOURS
In the best style, and at a moderate price.
se5 1m PROPRIETORS. (SAMUEL TOOLEY, JOHN BUTLER,

CLINTON.
WATSON & CO., OF THE 47 MILE HOUSE, situated at the junction of the Lillooet, Lytton, and Alexandria Wagon Road, beg leave to inform the travelling public that they have erected and are now fitting up near their old stand a large and commodious house to be known as the CLINTON HOTEL.
THE ABOVE ESTABLISHMENT IS BEING fitted up with a large and commodious bar room, with a splendid Billiard Table; also a dining room capable of seating 50 men, private sitting room, with bed rooms attached, for the accommodation of families. Bedrooms fitted up with Pulu Mattrasses. Burks and mattrasses free of charge for those who wish to use their own blankets. The culinary department is under the supervision of an experienced cook. A large garden is attached, from which the table is supplied with fresh vegetables. The best of Liquors always kept at the Bar. Stabling to accommodate 40 horses, with plenty of hay and grain, always on hand.
TERMS.

Board per week	$15 00
do do day	2 00
Single Meal	1 00
Beds per Night	1 00
Stabling and hay per night	1 00
Barley and Oats, per lb	0 25

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SO WELL KNOWN BY TRAVELERS in British Columbia, beg to inform the public that their House shall in future be called the Globe Hotel. It has been lately entirely refitted and greatly enlarged to meet their increased patronage. The Bedrooms, Billiard Saloon and Baths are well furnished to meet the requirements of persons stopping at the establishment. A Table d'Hote daily. Good Stabling for Horses.
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THIS SALOON HAS BEEN FITTED up by the Proprietor for the accommodation of the Public, in a style that is not surpassed in San Francisco. No expense has been spared to render it the finest
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It contains six of Phelan's best Billiard Tables.
At the Bar will be found the choicest Wines and Liquors.
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au22 EDGAR MARVIN

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NOTICE.
ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the above Company, are requested to hand in a detailed statement thereof to the undersigned, at the Company's Office, Langley street, without delay.
J. WADDELL, Agent
Victoria, V. I., 8th September, 1863. se10 1d

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.
THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOfore existing between S. D. Levi, J. Boas, and D. J. Hamburger, under the name and style of Levi, Boas & Co., is THIS DAY dissolved by mutual consent, by the withdrawal of S. D. Levi from the firm. J. Boas and D. J. Hamburger alone are authorised to collect all outstanding debts to the firm, and will pay all debts against the firm of Levi, Boas & Co.
S. D. LEVI,
J. BOAS,
D. J. HAMBURGER,
Witnesseth in presence of C. H. HEATH.
Richfield, B. C. August 21st, 1863.

CAUTION!
ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUtioned from purchasing those certain TOWN LOTS numbered respectively on the Official Map of the Town of Victoria Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15), as a charge is now registered against them in the Registrar General's Office, Victoria,
LEOPOLD LOWENBERG,
se3 By GEORGE PEARKES, his Attorney.

Reduced Prices!
A. J. BRUNN,
NOW OFFERS TO THE PUBLIC
Business Suits, Cass. Coats, Overcoats Doeskin and Cassimere Pants, Silk, Velvet and Cassimere Vests, Gent's Furnishing Goods, Alexander's Kid Gloves, Buckskin do., Davis & Jones White Shirts, Naval and Military Caps, Badges and Gold Lace, French and English Hats and Caps, Railway Rugs, &c.
ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD CHEAP TO MAKE ROOM FOR A FALL STOCK.
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A. J. BRUNN,
NEXT TO BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA,
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GENTILE & CO..
—HAVE JUST RECEIVED—
LATEST STYLES
Trimmed Straw BONNETS and
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Bridal Bonnets,
Head Dresses of Latest Paris Fashions,
Dress Caps, Evening Dresses,
Choice lot of Mantles, at very low prices,
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(Underneath the Occidental Billiard Saloon)
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BEG TO INTIMATE TO THEIR friends and the citizens of Victoria that they have removed their
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To their new premises on Yates street, where will be found a well selected stock of Gas Fittings, suited to this Market.
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CONSISTING OF HANGING, SIDE, Table, and Hand Lamps, of Various Patterns, Glass Shades, Chimnies, Wicks, Paper Shades, etc., which we will sell at prices much lower than similar goods have formerly been selling in this market.
We would call special attention to our No. 1 Diamond Kerosene Oil, which we can confidently recommend to the public.
☞ The Trade supplied on Liberal Terms.
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FOR CHARTER.
The A 1 British Bark,
"PHILIPPINE,"
296 TONS REGISTER.
Now discharging at our Wharf,
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.
Wharf street.
Victoria, V. I., 29th August 1863. au29

The Victoria
—AND—
British Columbia
DIRECTORY, 1863.
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The Trade Supplied.
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Strayed!
FROM MY YARD, ON YATES STREET, on Friday last, a White and Tan Pointer Bitch and Pup. A Reward of $5 will be paid to any one who may return the same.
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New Westminster, March 13, 1863. au24

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The undersigned having purchased from Mr. Heisterman the Goodwill of the above named institution, asks from the Subscribers and the inhabitants of Victoria and its vicinity, their liberal patronage and support, and begs to assure them that his utmost endeavors will be used to make the room as attractive as possible.
He depends greatly upon the kind assistance of his friends and patrons to consummate that object.
By increasing and improving the Library the Ladies of Victoria will be enabled to participate in the advantages of the institution. And to attain that, immediate arrangements will be made for obtaining all the new literary works of the United Kingdom, Europe and America.
CHRISTOPHER LOAT,
Victoria, V. I., 1st June, 1863.
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M. METZGER,
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THIS HOTEL, HAVING BEEN REfurnished and fitted up in Excellent style, is now prepared for the accommodation of guests.
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PUBLIC ROADS IN THE COLONY.

The notice of motion given by the member for Saanich at the last sitting of the House is one of considerable interest to every inhabitant of the Island. The motion is, for a committee to report on the extent and condition of the public roads throughout the colony; what improvements ought to be made therein; what new roads ought to be opened, etc. This motion comes remarkably well from Mr. Street, who we may call the only country member in the House, representing as he does the most extensive agricultural districts which at present return a member; and we doubt not that the committee will be granted. The Saanich road will probably be the first that will come before the committee for consideration, being one which along its whole length intersects, and leads up to land which is tolerably settled up. Anyone who traveled this road in the early part of last winter, and who has occasion to ride or drive along it now, will be much struck by the very great improvements which have been effected upon it. Much remains to be done before it will compare, in its whole length, with Wright's wagon road in British Columbia; nevertheless the road is now, and we believe will be through the winter, passable not only for wagons, but even for buggies, and might well be left for the present without any more attention being bestowed upon it than is necessary for ordinary repairs, except the Colonial Exchequer be well supplied, when it may be desirable to have a macadamized road. We wish we could speak as favorably of any portion of the road from Victoria to Cowichan, Nanaimo and Comax. This road is one that certainly ought to be completed as soon as possible. A considerable sum has been spent upon the three different sections of these roads already, and they are comparatively useless for want of completion. The bridges, the connecting links between the different districts, are wanting.

The Surveyor General's original estimate for these roads was, we believe, $28,000—this included a branch road from the mill on Saanich Inlet to the main road from Victoria to Cowichan. Only $21,000 was voted, consequently the work has not been completed. The first section of the road from Victoria to Cowichan, a distance of about 37 miles is cut, but it is no more than a broad trail, impassable in many places during the winter for want of small bridges. The branch trail to the mill has not been cut, nor we believe laid out. A road over which wagons might be driven could be made from the mill to the Cowichan road, for probably $1,500, this would open up an entirely new road which is at present only available for foot traffic, and would enable settlers to locate on good land in South Cowichan, to which at present there is no access except through a thick bush. Between Cowichan and Quamichan three bridges are wanted, and the road between Cowichan and Nanaimo will require an expenditure of at least $200 a mile before it will be available for the passage of cattle and wagons; the Chemainos river must also be bridged over; the bridges cannot be built for less than from $3,000 to $4,000. From Nanaimo to Comax there is a good trail cut, and it will probably not be thought necessary to make a wagon road over this portion at present, the distance, 70 miles, is so great that farmers are not likely to use it, until the country through which it passes is somewhat settled up. Setting this portion aside then, $15,000 would probably complete Cowichan roads, so far as is at present necessary, and when we consider how essential roads are in agricultural districts how absolutely necessary they are in fact, towards settling up our Colony, we do not think that the amount ought to be grudged; the farmers must have roads along which they can drive their stock and their farm wagons. Water carriage may be the cheapest for some farms in these districts, but it is only available for those adjacent to a landing place. And how is it possible that farmers can bring their produce to a market without any roads? We do not advocate the construction of expensive roads in the country districts, but the more the country is intersected by roads over which strong rough labor carts can be driven, the better will it be for Victoria, for until there is good and efficient road communication between town and country, we shall not see our agricultural districts prosper as they ought to do.

SAANICH FERRY.

We should be glad to see the member for Saanich interesting himself in the establishment of a ferry between South Saanich and Sayward's saw-mill. If Government construct a road from the mill in a northerly direction to Cowichan Bay, a ferry at this point would be of material service to the settlers, both at Cowichan and Saanich; it would reduce the distance by land to the former place by nearly one half, and would enable settlers to get up to Cowichan Bay with their cattle and wagons in one day with ease from Victoria. It is probable, that in the event of the road we have mentioned being made, the traffic would be sufficient to induce private individuals to establish a ferry, if a charter giving them exclusive privileges of toll were granted them; but even if it were necessary for Government to pay a small subsidy it would not be money thrown away. The advantages to be gained by affording such an improved mode of communication to all the agricultural districts, north of the Saanich mill, as a regular ferry would give, would be almost incalculable, so far as regards the settlement of these districts; and we must not lose sight of the great desirability of settling an agricultural population in every available spot in the Island. A ferry subsidised by Government, could be made available for the carriage of the mail across the Saanich arm, and its delivery with punctuality over this route could be easily arranged.

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At 11 o'clock, A. M., precisely,

Without the Slightest Reserve,

WHEAT,
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BAND
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S. GOLDSTONE.
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GERMANIA.
9—Aria, "Malborough" (with Flute Variations.....Bosquet
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BAND
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TAKE NOTICE THAT A CERTAIN DEED OF TRUST, dated the 17th day of September, instant, made by Lewis Levy, of the Town of Victoria, for the purpose of conveying his estate and effects unto Julius Greenbaum and Robert Burnaby, both of Victoria aforesaid, upon trust for the benefit of the Creditors of the said Lewis Levy, who shall assent to the said conveyance, now lies at the office of Mr. George Pearkes, Solicitor, Government street, Victoria, for the signature of the said Creditors of the said Lewis Levy.

All persons indebted to the said Lewis Levy are required to pay the amounts at the place of business of the said Julius Greenbaum, at the Miner's Saloon, Johnson street, Victoria, and all having any claim on said estate are requested to present the same at the same place, on or before the 30th instant.

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At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

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30 4-foot 6-inch Brown Alpaca Umbrellas;
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10 doz Angola Shirts;
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5 doz. Union "
10 doz. Melton "

—ALSO—

35 bbls Crushed Sugar;
15 Kegs Split Peas;
3 Cases California Hams;
9 Firkins Butter;
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12 bbls S. I. Sugar;
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ROBERT GEORGE,
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Victoria, September 12th, 1863. se14 tf

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FRIDAY, Sept. 18,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

J. A. McCREA

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August 26th, 1863. au26 1m

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Friday Morning, Sept. 18, 1863.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

J. A. McCREA will sell at 11 a. m., at sales room, 1 Horse and Cart, Candles, Lard, Dried Apples. Cheese, Starch, Straw Paper, etc; Also cases containing Chairs, Lounges, Carpets and Easy Chairs, etc.

THE NEW DIGGINGS ON LIGHTNING CREEK.

Mr. Poole, the Cariboo Expressman, who came down on the Enterprise on Wednesday evening, gives us some additional particulars about the lately struck hill-diggings on Lightning Creek. The Butcher claim, from which such very rich pay has been taken, is situated on the left bank of the creek, about three-quarters of a mile above the town of Vanwinkle, at an elevation of about sixty feet above the stream; the stratum of pay dirt is two or three feet thick, and yields usually from four to six bits to the pan, although $60 to the pan have been taken out in some spots. The gold is of the best quality, being worth from $1 50 to $2 more than that of Williams Creek, and is also the coarsest gold found in Cariboo. There are six share-holders, each holding two hundred feet, making twelve hundred feet in the whole claim.

The Evans Company, adjoining the Butcher, are also taking out good pay, although our informant says that $6000 in one week is rather an over-estimate—$100 being nearer the mark. This company must not be confounded with the company of Welsh miners under Captain Evans, who are located on the flats about two miles below the town, under the title of the Welsh Company, and are pushing their work on in the most vigorous manner. They had just put in a large wheel when Mr. Poole passed. Their operations are watched with much interest, as the result of their prospecting will in a great measure decide the quality of the creek diggings on Lightning.

THE CHARGE OF SHOOTING.—The case of Thomas Deane, arrested on suspicion of having fired at an Indian, again came up in the Police Court yesterday. Sergeant Blake stated that the wounded man was still lying in a precarious state, not expected to live, and was unable therefore to attend. Mr. Pemberton said that in consequence of information he had received he had taken the deposition of the Indian, and as it appeared very doubtful whether the man would recover, the charge might be one of a very different nature, and he should, therefore, not go into the case at present, but would remand the accused to prison for three days and would take bail for his appearance. Mr. Bishop, for the accused, said that his witnesses were present and he was fully prepared to go into the case, he really hoped, however, that His Worship would at once dismiss the charge, as he could clearly show that his client was in Victoria at the time the occurrence took place, and heard of it for the first time as he was leaving town. He could moreover prove by several witnesses that the Indian had said that it was a Cowichan who shot him. It was very annoying to his client to have such a charge hanging over him. The Magistrate remarked that in his deposition which was taken in the presence of the Rev. Mr. Garrett, the Indian had sworn that it was a "Boston man" who fired the shot. He did not wish to say one word reflecting on Mr. Deane's character, but he must adhere to his decision not to go into the case under present circumstances; Mr. Deane appeared to be very well able to give satisfactory bail for his appearance.

ENGINES FOR THE STEAMER LILLOOET.—Yesterday the schooner Meg Merrilies arrived from Esquimalt with the engines and boilers for the new stern-wheel steamer Lillooet, lately launched from Trahey's yard. The engine was manufactured by Messrs. Hinkley & Co., and the boilers by Messrs. Coffee & Risden, of San Francisco, under the direction of Mr. Elrick, by whom they will be fitted up. It is stated by competent judges that this the finest fit out of boilers and machinery ever imported into this country. There are two cylinders, 17 inch, 5 feet stroke. Two boilers, return tubulars, 46 inches in diameter, 16 feet long; fifty-two 3 inch tubes in each boiler. The Lillooet will be ready for sea in about three weeks.

COLLEGIATE SCHOOL COMMEMORATION.—The Third Anniversary of the Foundation of this School was celebrated yesterday. In the morning, the boys attended at Christ Church, where an able address was delivered by the Reverend, the Principal, after which they proceeded to Beacon hill and partook of luncheon. A number of friends were present during the afternoon, witnessing with delight the youthful gambols of the rising generation. In the evening a number of gentlemen sat down to an excellent dinner at the St George Hotel, ably presided over by the Rev. C. T. Woods.

SANGSTER COPPER CO.—The Directors of this promising company have displayed great energy in their movements Within twenty-four hours from the organization of the company, the schooner North Star, Capt. McCulloch, left this port having on board a working party of six practical miners with the necessary stores and implements to open up the copper lode discovered by Capt. Stuart. This wonderful activity looks as if the company have "great expectations."

LOITERERS.—Four Klootchmen were taken before the police magistrate charged by an officer with loitering on Cormorant street at an untimely hour. Mr. Pemberton discharged two of the women, and ordered the others, who appeared to be mother and daughter, to enter into their own recognizances in the sum of $5 to be of good behaviour, or to suffer fourteen days imprisonment.

PROMPT PAYMENT.—Messrs. Dietz and Nelson have, with a promptitude which does them infinite credit, already made good nearly the whole of the losses incurred by the unfortunate mishap which recently befel their express-bag at Yale. The total amount to be disbursed will be about $3750. The largest claimants were Messrs. Kwong, Lee & Co., who received $2400 We trust that the sunken treasure may still be recovered.

CONCERT.—The Germania Sing Verein have issued the programme of the Grand Concert, to be given by them this evening at the Victoria Theatre, in conjunction with the band of H. M. S. Sutlej, which will be found in our columns. The selections give promise of a great musical treat, and we doubt not the Germania will have a full house.

ATTEMPTING TO DESERT.—Two seamen, named Henry Hall and Alfred Lee, were brought before Mr. Pemberton yesterday, charged with attempting to desert from H. M. S. Sutlej, and were ordered to be sent for trial before their proper officers.

FROM PARTRIDGE ISLAND.—The sloop Bella Cora arrived yesterday freighted with chickens, from the only white man's settlement on the above Island.

☞ Milbery Day appeared yesterday before Mr. Pemberton, defended by Mr. Bishop, and was again remanded until Saturday.

FROM NANAIMO.—The sloop Alarm and schooner Discovery arrived yesterday from Nanaimo, the former with 16 tons and the latter with 70 tons coal for J. T. Little.

☞ The wages suit of Joseph vs. McKay and Scott was called yesterday in the Police Court, and dismissed, having been settled out of court.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Caledonia left yesterday forenoon with passengers and freight for New Westminster.

CAUGHT IN HIS OWN TRAP.—Our friends the speculators, who, according to our contemporary, made use of our columns for the purpose of conspiring to defraud the gallant Admiral with reference to the naval contract for beef, will not be a little surprised if we show that they received precisely the same assistance from the paper making that worthy assertion as they did from this journal. Let them but have the patience to refer to the *Chronicle* of the 12th instant, and they will there find a little item headed "The Last of the Mohicans," setting forth that the Northern Light had brought some dead beeves and sheep from Dungeness, under a special permit from Victor Smith, and that after the carcasses of a few more had been brought to this place, the "shipment of dead as well as live stock *would cease*;" and yet that infallible paper has the impudence to repeat that "it had all along asserted that the Embargo was never intended to apply to this coast." Verily the item man of the *Chronicle* has lost his memory, in addition to his good taste and his senses.

ORDERED HOME.—We understand that Col. Moody, R. E., has received orders from the Horse Guards, to proceed immediately to England.

FROM PORT TOWNSEND.—The sloop H. L. Tibbals arrived yesterday from the Sound with several passengers.

☞ His Excellency the Governor will not leave for British Columbia until Tuesday next.

☞ The British Columbian Prize Essay is now for sale at Hibben & Carswell's.

Mr. Ring's Reply.

VICTORIA, September 17th, 1863.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST—SIR:—In your leading article of this day you call upon me as Acting Attorney General to state my reasons for refusing to pay a bye-law tax made by the City Corporation upon me as one practising the profession of Barrister-at-Law, because my example may have weight with other men.

I have no objection (since you put the matter upon public grounds) to obey your call. In the first place, to guard against the suggestion that I am capable of "grudging" or deeling to pay a Parliamentary tax upon me as a Barrister, permit me to say that I have paid into the Treasury such a tax ever since it was imposed by the Legislature of this Colony.

Shortly after the passing of the act to incorporate the City of Victoria, the Town-Council submitted that act to the joint opinion of Mr. McCreight and myself to ascertain what powers were given to the Corporation by it, to raise a revenue, &c.

Our opinion appeared in your paper (which seems to have escaped your memory,) and as you have called upon me to state my reasons publicly, (as many may be influenced by my example,) for the course which I have pursued as to this matter, perhaps you may not deem it inexpedient to lay that opinion (still unchanged) once more before the public, as an appendix to this letter, in which the public may see a way of relief from the difficulty under which the Corporation labored, and still labors, pointed out. My duty therefore in that respect has been already performed.

Very many additional reasons (uninteresting to the Public) may be given, but I shall mention only one, because of its paramount importance to the Colonial Constituencies.

In empowering a Corporation to raise a revenue, the Legislature originates the source of it, and is bound to name *each particular* subject of taxation, and assign *to each* a monetary limit, beyond which the taxation may not pass. Such taxation so originated, ascertained and limited, when passed by the Legislature becomes lawful, and the fundamental principle of the British Constitution *that the people shall not be taxed without their consent*, remains unshaken.

It may never be inferred that the Deliberative House of Assembly of this Colony intended, by some vague and general terms which occur in the Act in question, to violate their trust and hand over to a subordinate body a power of taxation not only undefined as to the *particular subjects* of it, but in raising money, *unlimited* as to its extent, a power which, if even the Legislature itself ventured to assume, I should denounce as subversive of the Constitutional principles of the English Government.

Sir, long before His Excellency conferred upon me the undeserved honor to which you allude, I pointed out to various members of the Town-Council that they were not only assuming the powers of the Legislature, but powers which even the Legislature itself does not possess—powers to introduce into the Constitution a new fundamental principle alike arbitrary and destructive.

Although fully agreeing in all you say about the improvements to the City made by the Corporation, I cannot by my name sanction the violation of the rights of the people, and a glaring violation of constitutional law. And here the Civic Authorities must pardon me for saying that thus I defend them individually as private citizens against the danger of their own acts as a Public body.

His Excellency has directed the attention of both Houses to the necessity of amending the Act of Incorporation, and in due time the Legislative Council intend to submit an amended Corporation bill to the Lower House for their approval. I am, Sir,

Obediently yours,
D BARINGTON RING.

Affairs in Japan.

The following, which we clip from the S. F. *Bulletin* of the 7th inst., throws additional light upon the state of affairs and recent disturbances in Japan:

THE JAPANESE ATTACK ON THE FRENCH MAIL STEAMER "KEINCHANG".

The Medusa has brought particulars of the affair of the Keinchang. It appears that on the morning of the 8th, as early as about 4 o'clock, two officers went on board, professedly to make inquiries as to where the ship was from, whither bound, etc., but left without making any objection to her proceeding, or other remark. Two hours after some shots were fired from the batteries, but as they did not approach the ship they were supposed by those on board only to have been fired in some target practice, and did not excite much attention. The Keinchang passed on, but as she passed the second fort a heavy fire was directed towards her, passing, how ever, over the ship. The Imperial French flag was then flying. Capt. Lafont intending to send on shore to ask what was the intention of this act, a small boat was being lowered for the purpose, but before she was manned she was struck by a shot and sank. She passed on, receiving the fire of all the forts, and having passed about one-fourth of the distance through the channel observed two armed vessels, a sailing corvette and a brig, leaving a creek or small bay. They both began to attack—the brig, before commencing to fire, partly hoisting the Japanese Imperial flag, but hauling it down again before it was fairly hoisted. The corvette hoisted it and kept it up during the whole time of the assault. On the opposite side a fort was seen with some 15 guns (this must be near Kokura, the citadel residence of Onga-awara Daizen no Daiboo). The Keinchang was obliged to go within a few hundred yards of this fort, but happily she was not fired upon by it, and was enabled to escape the fire of a great number of the guns on the northern side by taking a channel hitherto unknown to European vessels, through which she was conducted by the native pilot, who had fortunately been detained, though only by threats, on board.

WHAT IS THE BRITISH FLEET ABOUT?—The Japan *Herald* of 18th July says:

The British Admiral and fleet still remain in harbor. Their departure for Satsuma's territory has been daily anticipated. Col. Neale, H. B. M.'s *Chargé d' Affaires*, proposes to accompany the fleet.

At the latest date, the following British war vessels were in the harbor of Kanagawa: Euryalus, Pearl, Perseus, Encounter, Havoc, Kestrel, Bouncer, Hesper, Coromandel, Argusi Coquette and Racehorse. The French war ships Dupleix and Monge, the Netherlands steam corvette the Medusa and the U. S. corvette Wyoming were also at Kanagawa.

The Japanese have five men-of-war, two of which were royal presents; the others were estimated to have cost $300,000. They have also 13 screw and 6 paddle steamers, 2 barks, 2 brigs and 2 schooners. Total, 30 vessels—for which they have paid $2,351,800.

A Japanese account says that on July 18th an hour or two after midnight, while a strong south wind was blowing, a fire broke out in No. 5 street, in the district of Ingoora, in Yedo. The fire next progressed to No. 4 street, then to Higatsematsi and No. 1 street, all of which it consumed, and made its way, before the high wind, into a district occupied almost exclusively by Daimios palaces and gentlemen's residences, and by the castle of the Tycoon. The palaces of the Daimios—Namboo an Ooyemooro—were the first consumed; and all those in the district of Nishino Moobo were next destroyed—the temple Hatsimansama alone escaping. Next, Staya Matsi was burned down; and Monsudairi Ookuno Kami's palace having next caught fire, it and all the adjoining houses in the neighborhood were consumed. Kiogokfoono Kamis's residence and the Temple Kumpirasama were also destroyed.

The number of buildings destroyed is very great, and includes part of the Siogoon's castle and the residences of about thirty Daimios or more. The actual number of houses and the value of the property destroyed have not yet been ascertained, but this fire has proved to be the most destructive of any which occurred at Yedo of late years.

The Tycoon has returned to and taken up his residence at Miako.—*Japan Herald.*

The Dutch brig Wilhelmina Louise arrived here on Saturday night, from Kanagawa, Japan, bringing papers and private advices from that port to 24th July. The news is interesting and important.

THE INLAND SEA AND STRAIT OF SIMONOSEKI.

One of the great lords, or Daimios, of the country, has thought proper to make war upon his own account, and fire upon the vessels of various nations when passing through the Strait of Simonoseki, which divides the principal island of Niphon from the island of Kiusiu. This strait communicates with what is called the "Inland Sea," or the sea of Suwonada, which is surrounded by the islands of Niphon, Kiusiu, Sikok and Awadsi. There is a great population in the provinces bordering this sea, and naturally much traffic is carried on upon its waters. Vessels from Nagasaki and Chinese ports, to Kanagawa, and generally the south-eastern side of the three principal Japanese Islands, instead of sailing by Van Diemen strait, the southern point of Kiusiu, often proceed through the Inland Sea. At the north western entrance to this sea, in the straits of Simonoseki, in the province of Nangato, the Daimio Martz-daira Daizen, or Mowori, had possession of certain forts that command the straits. A few armed vessels, purchased by this nobleman, lay also in the channel; and both these and the forts seem to have been attacking recklessly every foreign ship that sought to enter the Inland Sea. These outrages do not appear to have been commanded by or even known to the Japanese Government; but were altogether the foolhardy pranks of one of the leading Daimios. Whether, however, the National Government may not be compelled to *satisfy* the outraged flags, is quite another question

SUMMARY OF RECENT JAPANESE EVENTS.

Before giving the details of the stirring naval actions that have taken place, we compile from our files of Kanagawa papers, a summary of political news. The readers of the *Bulletin* will recollect that certain demands upon the Japanese were recently made by Admiral Kuper, on the part of the British Government. They included payment of £10,000 for the families of the men murdered at the British Legation on the 26th June, 1862, and £100,000 as a penalty on Japan for the murderous attack on the Tokiado when Richardson was murdered. These sums were paid by the Japanese on the 24th June last, the date of our previous advices direct from Kanagawa. This was something off the account; but a heavy balance, or, to use a phrase of the British Chargé d'Affaires, the "more important portion of the reparation required," remained behind—from the Government an ample and formal apology for permitting the attack, and from Satsuma the trial and execution of the murderers of Richardson and the payment of the sum of £25,000 for his relatives and to those who escaped the swords of the assassins. Towards the end of June, after the tender of two apologies which were not considered by the British Charge of a sufficiently ample character, another and more full and complete one was given, and considered satisfactory. This seemed to end matters for the moment.

In the meantime the country had been thoroughly aroused; everywhere the note of preparation was sounded; implements of war were made; soldiers were drilled in every exercise; forts were built at Osaca, and repaired elsewhere; and, we doubt, says the Japan *Herald*, if there is a man in the country who would vote for the introduction of foreigners. A levy of militia was made from among the farming population.

Among other notable changes there was still the rise in articles in daily use, and there had been a withdrawal of privileges to the two-sworded men on the Tokaido and elsewhere, which had raised the rate of traveling as well as of living enormously. The expenses of a Daimio had thereby been much increased and his ability to keep a large number of retainers diminished. These men naturally said they could not dig, and to beg they were ashamed. They had become loose characters, Ronins or Roonins. The number of these men was increasing fast, and they were expected before long to become a very disturbing element in the State.

So far as foreigners were more particularly concerned, we may notice that during the greater part of the year the residences of the Ministers for England and France at Yedo had been virtually abandoned. All late negotiations had been carried on at Yokohama. The American Minister remained at Yedo till his house was burned down to drive him out. This had set free a large number of Yakonins from the different Legations, who had sat down at Yokohama as they did at the Legations. At the latest date there were upwards of 2,000 two sworded men settled in and about the settlement—no one knew exactly where.

Kie Kawa, the head of the Ronins, one of the retainers of Saskaye, and said to have been the man who killed the two Russian officers, who attacked the Legation on the first occasion, and who assassinated Heuskin a short time since, met the same fate he has so liberally dealt out to others. Almost upon the very spot where the last deed was committed, he was set upon by two men, and whilst engaged in defending himself in front, he was assassinated by a third from behind, and his head severed from his body. One of Stotsbashi's head men, on the road up from Miako was attacked and murdered. The public places in Yedo, bridge, gate-stations, etc., were constantly found posted over with addresses, canards, etc., of the most inflamatory character. The number of Government guards or watch was nearly trebled, but although insufficient for the maintenance of the accustomed order, the swords of the disaffected and turbulent men, principally Ronins, being in constant exercise.

The Japan *Commercial News* of 22d July says: There is a report that the Mikado has issued a proclamation to the nation, calling upon all good Japanese to arise and expel foreigners, and conjuring the Daimios, especially, to put forth all their energies for this purpose, and giving them 5 months to effect it; that the Damios are, accordingly, making most active preparations for war; and that the Prince of Nagatto, being in a position to commence executing the Mikado's commands, did so by attacking the foreign vessels passing Shimonoseki.

It is further stated that this Prince does not care about any reverses he may at first meet with, as he has the assurance that all the Daimios, or nearly all, will soon join him in active hostilities against foreigners.

It is rumored, also, that Satsuma is waiting for the British force to commence hostilities in his territories, and that he and his allies, that is to say, all the Daimios in Kinsin and Shikohf, and several in South Nippon will then retort in every way they can. This report is contradicted by another, to the effect that Satsuma is anxious for a peaceful solution of this affair, and that he is willing to make a separate treaty with Great Britain. That either or any of these reports are wholly true, is more than we can say.

We have heard that a regular printed newspaper was published at Yedo the other day, in which it was stated that the Prince of Nagatto had destroyed two American vessels and one French vessel, and that all the foreigners who escaped during the attack on the vessels, were afterwards captured and beheaded.

ENGLISH AND OTHER ITEMS.

Mr. Locke asked the Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs whether he had seen the account in the newspapers of the civil war in Montevideo, and especially that portion of it relating to the murder of Mr. Smith, a British settler, and whether any official despatches on the subject had been received by the Foreign office.

Mr. Layard said the government had received despatches which confirmed, to some extent, the accounts which had been published in the newspapers. It appeared that a military force from Buenos Ayres had made a descent on Montevidean territory, and in consequence of that wanton attack a civil war had broken out. An Englishman named Smith had been barbarously murdered, but not by troops acting in the service of the Montevidean Government, for it had been ascertained that they were deserters. As soon as the Montevidean Government heard of the occurrence, they expressed their readiness to arrest the offenders as soon as possible. The English merchants assembled and subscribed a considerable amount as a reward for the capture of the murderer, and a further sum had been added by the Montevidean Government. There was every reason to believe that the capture would be effected, and the Montevidean Government had shown every desire to take energetic steps in the matter. (Hear, hear.)

The public excitement in Paris, consequent on the unsatisfactory replies of Russia to the three notes of the European Powers was very great, and some of the papers openly urge the Emperor to declare war. In England, there had been debates on the subject in both Houses of Parliament, and a very uneasy feeling prevailed.

The rifle match at Wimbledon between the Lords and Commons, was won by the Commons by 37 marks. In the International match England won by 83.

During the last week that Parliament was in session there was often considerable difficulty in making a House. On the 22d for instance, it was half past 12 before the requisite 40 members could be got together to enable the Speaker to take the chair. At about 20 minutes past 12, Sir Roundell Palmer, the Solicitor-general, suddenly rose and made towards the door, through which the sergeant-at-arms allowed him to pass in violation of the standing order which provides that when once in the chamber a member must not leave until "a House" is made. No sooner had the the learned gentleman passed through the glass door than he was met by one of the officials outside, who sternly sent him back to the ministerial benches, amid the titters of those who were already prisoners. A minute or two after this, Sir George Grey, apparently remembering an engagement, and not having noticed what had just occurred, made off in a hurried way towards the door. the sergeant-at-arms by this time having left the House. But the Home Secretary fared no better than the Solicitor-general. The scrupulous doorkeeper solemnly reminded him of the risk he was incurring in running counter to the rules of the House, and Sir George Grey walked quietly back to his seat, where he remained until the fortieth member appeared, and the business of the day began

Mr. Laird, M. P. for Birkenhead, published on the 27th July, several letters written in 1860 by an anonymous friend in America, in which this latter gentleman makes various proposals, ostensibly with the sanction of the Federal Government, for the building of ironplated war vessels for the Federal Navy by Mr. Laird's firm. Mr. Laird adds that he believed at the time, and still believed, that his correspondent had the authority of his government for writing the letters.

Her Majesty was still at Osborne, where the Prince and Princess of Wales were staying on a visit for a few days. On the 24th the Princess of Leiningen gave birth to a princess at Osborne. Her Majesty was with her neice at the time and during the greater part of the night.

The coming of age of the Marquis of Hastings (the young nobleman who was recently fined for cock fighting on Sunday) was celebrated with great rejoicings at Donnington Park.

The "Alexandra Park," situate at the brow of Muswell hill, about a mile beyond Hornsey, stated to contain 480 acres, and commanding an extensive view of Hertfordshire and Essex, was formally opened on the 23rd and 24th, with Horticultural and Archery *fetes*. The Company who had purchased this estate were in treaty for the purchase of part of the Exhibition building.

It is considered rather a good joke that the Reform Club of London have found that the system of ballotting for the admission of members does not answer, and they have had to adopt the more aristocratic course of choosing members through a special committee.

Military preparations were still going on in Russia.

A revolutionary spirit was said to be rapidly spreading in Prussia.

Sir Charles Wood brought in the Indian Budget on the 23rd July. In his financial statement he congratulated the House on the very small deficit of the past year, and the good prospect of a surplus in the next.

The ministerial white-bait dinner was eaten on the 25th, and Parliament was formally prorogued on the 28th of July.

A Joint-Stock Company, with a very influential direction, was in formation in London for the erection of hotels in India, China and the East.

After an eight day's trial, the Jury in the Roupell case, were discharged without a verdict.

There was a serious decline in the value of public securities in London on Saturday, 25th July, owing to the strong feeling which prevailed of the probability of a European war.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, K. G., to be Capt. Gen. and Col. in the Hon. Artillery Company of London.

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BOTTLED BEER—Invoices of following Brands are offered for Sale by the undersigned:

YOUNGERS' India Pale Ale, in qts. and pints;
ALSOPTS' do do do
Bottled by Friend;
TYRER'S do do do
In qts. and pints;
JEFFRAY'S do do do
SALT'S Burton on Trent Ale do
MARZETTI'S Ale in qts and pints;
BYASS' do do do

VICTORIA STORES—Ale and Porter in qts. and pints.

BARCLAY & PERKINS' STOUT—Bottled by Tyrer, in qts. and pints.

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BULK BEER—Of the following celebrated Brewers:

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For Sale by JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

Wines and Spirits.

The undersigned have on hand a Large Assortment of Wines and Spirits, consisting in part of

WHISKY—Scotch Campbelton, Islay, and Glenury;
Irish, Jamieson's James Daly & Co.'s, and George Waters & Son's—In qr. casks, octaves, and cases;

RUM—Jamaica and Demerera—In hhds. qr. csks, and cases;

BRANDY—A. Seignette, Martell, and other brands, in hhds, qr csks., and cases;

HOLLANDS—De Kuyper & Co.'s., Simon Rynbende & Son's in green and red cases;

OLD TOM—In Bulk;

PORT—Sandeman's & Pages, in bulk and in 3 doz. and 1 doz cases;

CLARETS—Various Brands;

CHAMPAGNES—Benj & Eugene Perrin's and other brands

JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

Firemen's Election!

At a Meeting of the Deluge Engine Company, No. 1, held September 3d, 1863,

J. S. DRUMMOND

WAS NOMINATED FOR

CHIEF ENGINEER

—AND—

S. B. ABBOT,

—OF—

UNION HOOK AND LADDER CO., NO 1,

—FOR—

Assistant Engineer,

—OF THE—

Victoria Fire Department.

At the Coming Election.

J. L. BUCKLEY,
Secretary Deluge Engine Co.

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FIREMEN!

Election for Chief and Assistant Engineers

AT A MEETING OF TIGER ENGINE Company, No. 2, holden last evening

JOHN C. KEENAN

WAS NOMINATED FOR

Chief Engineer,

—AND—

Henry A. Pickett

—FOR—

Assistant Engineer

—OF THE—

Victoria Fire Department

At the coming Election in October.

WILLIAM O. PARKER,
au28 Secretary Tiger Fire Company.

FIREMEN'S NOTICE.

AT a Meeting of the Union Hook and Ladder Company, held on September 7th, 1863, a resolution was passed nominating

MR. J. S. DRUMMOND

FOR THE OFFICE OF

CHIEF ENGINEER,

—AND—

MR. S. B. ABBOTT,

FOR THE OFFICE OF

Assistant Engineer,

AT THE

APPROACHING ELECTION.

By Order, WILLIAM HANSON,
Secretary Union Hook and Ladder Co.

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FOR SALE,

MAHOGANY PLANK—ST. DOMINGO—from 1½ to 4 inches thick. 1850 feet

VERY DESIRABLE LOT.

MAHOGANY BOARDS—Bay Wood and Domingo—1 inch.

BEST CURLED HAIR—2500 LBS.

SHORT DO—2500 do
SPANISH MOSS, 3000 do
FEATHERS—Best live Geese 300 do
DO Ordinary, 750 do

MIRRORS—Gilt, Mahogany and Rosewood—all Sizes, Oval and Square Shapes.

SHOW CASES—On hand, and made to order.

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PULU—By the Bale,

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Wholesale and Retail,

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Genuine Preparation

HIGHLY CONCENTRATED

Compound Fluid Extract

BUCHU!

A Positive and Specific Remedy

FOR DISEASES OF THE

BLADDER, KIDNEYS, GRAVEL,

—AND—

Dropsical Swellings.

THIS MEDICINE INCREASES THE POWER of Digestion, and excites the ABSORBENTS into healthy action, by which the WATERY OR CALCANOUS depositions, and all UNNATURAL ENLARGEMENTS are reduced, as well as PAIN AND INFLAMMATION, and is good for

MEN WOMEN, AND CHILDREN

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU,

FOR WEAKNESS

Arising from Excesses, Habits of Dissipation, Early Indiscretion or Abuses, attended with the following Symptoms:

Indisposition to exertion, Loss of Memory, Weak Nerves, Horror of Disease, Dimness of Vision, Universal Lassitude of the Muscular System, Hot Hands, Dryness of the Skin, Loss of Power, Difficulty of Breathing, Trembling, Wakefulness, Pain in the Back, Flushing of the Body, Eruptions on the Face, Pallid Countenance

These symptoms, if allowed to go on, which this Medicine invariably removes, are followed by

Impotence, Fatuity, Epileptic Fits,

In one of which the patient may expire. Who can say that they are not frequently followed by those "DREFUL DISEASES."

"INSANITY AND CONSUMPTION."

Many are aware of the cause of their suffering, but none will confess.

The Records of the Insane Asylums, and the Melancholy Death by Consumption,

Bear ample witness of the truth of the assertion The CONSTITUTION ONCE AFFECTED WITH ORGANIC WEAKNESS requires the aid of medicine to strengthen the system, which

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU

Invariably does. A trial will convince the most skeptical.

Females, Old or Young, Single, Married, or Contemplating Marriage.

In many affections peculiar to Females, the EXTRACT BUCHU is unequalled by any other Remedy, as in Chlorosis or Retention, Irregularity, Painfulness or Suppression of Customary Evacuations, Ulcerated or Schirious State of the Uterus, Leucorrhœa or Whites, Sterility, and for all complaints incidental to the sex, whether arising from indiscretion, habits of dissipation, or in the decline or change of life as the symptoms above

NO FAMILY SHOULD BE WITHOUT IT.

Use Helmbold's Extract Buchu

For all affections and diseases of the URINARY ORGANS, whether existing in MALE or FEMALE, from whatever cause originating, and no matter of how LONG STANDING Diseases of these organs require the aid of a DIURETIC.

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU

Is the great Diuretic, and it is certain to have the desired effect in diseases for which it is recommended. Evidence of the most responsible and reliable character will accompany the medicines.

CERTIFICATES of CURES

From eight to twenty years standing, with names known to Science and Fame.

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU

CURES

Secret Diseases

In their last stages; little or no change in diet; at little expense; no inconvenience, and no exposure. It causes a frequent desire and gives strength to urinate, thereby removing obstructions, preventing and curing Strictures of the Urethra, allaying pain and inflammation, so frequent in the class of diseases, and expelling all poisons, diseased and worn out matter. Thousands upon thousands who have been the victims of quacks, and who have paid heavy fees to be cured in a short time, have found they were deceived, and that the "poison" has, by the use of "powerful astringents," been dried up in the system, to break out in an aggravated form, and PERHAPS AFTER MARRIAGE.

CERTIFICATES FROM PHYSICIANS

BOSTON, July 17, 1860.

MR. HELMBOLD—DEAR SIR:—I have used your Extract Buchu in diseases of the bladder and kidneys with the most happy results, and I feel assured I never used an article of medicine that produced a more sure and certain relief for the complaints for which it is recommended

JACKSON F. STEWART, M. D.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 21, 1860.

MR. HELMBOLD—DEAR SIR:—I have used your Extract Buchu in diseases of the bladder, kidneys, gravel and dropsy in my practice, and have witnessed such signal results arising from its use, that I have no hesitation in adding my testimony to the recommendations already given in favor of it.

Very respectfully,

D. WEBSTER HAINES, M. D.

PITTSBURG, May 14th, 1863.

MR. HELMBOLD—DEAR SIR—having used your medicines for some years in my practice, I can confidently recommend them to be all that you claim for them in dropsy, gravel, and diseases of the bladder and kidneys.

Truly yours, W. F. CLINTON, M. D.

BALTIMORE, April 13, 1857.

MR. HELMBOLD—DEAR SIR:—I am a physician of twenty-five years standing. I have prescribed your Extract Buchu in the various affections of the bladder and kidneys, and they have in all cases given the utmost satisfaction. I confidently recommend them to the profession as invaluable medicines, paramount to all others as a safe and speedy remedy in all cases of sickness for which it is recommended.

Very respectfully yours,

ROBT. F. GREEN, M. D.

"Physicians Please Notice."

We Make no Secret of the "Ingredients."

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU

Is composed of Buchu, Cubebs, and Juniper Berries, selected with great care. Prepared in Vacuo.

BY H. T. HELMBOLD,

Practical and Analytical Chemist, and Sole Manufacturer of

HELMBOLD'S GENUINE PREPARATIONS,

PHILADELPHIA.

AFFIDAVIT:

Personally appeared before me an Alderman of the city of Philadelphia, H. T. Helmbold, who, being duly sworn, doth say his preparations contain no narcotic, no mercury, or other injurious drugs, but are purely vegetable.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 23d day of November, 1857.

WM. P. HUBBERD,
Alderman, Ninth street above Race Phila.

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HOSTETTER, SMITH & DEAN,
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Crates, 1 gallon kegs,
Burton Ale, continually on draught,
Cases Byass' bottled Ale & Porter.

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Victoria, 8 January, 1863. au20

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ONE VERY LARGE COOKING STOVE,
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Attorney and Counsellor at Law.

Of the Supreme Court and United States Courts of California.

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And to

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J. A. MCCREA, Esq.,

se4 1m VICTORIA, V. I.

Ploughing and Spading Match.

THESE MATCHES WILL BE HELD in fields near Judge Pemberton's residence, which have been kindly granted by James Carswell, Esq., on TUESDAY, 29th instant, at 9 a. m.

Four competitors to enter for Horses,
" " " " Oxen,
Or no Match.

Six competitors to enter for Spading Match, or no Match.

After the match has been decided, a Sweepstakes of an amount equal to the value appraised by the Judges as a fair compensation for the ploughing of the remainder of the field, will be given by Mr. Carswell to the man who shall perform his allotted task in the least time.

The Lists will be opened at Mr. Cochrane's office, Government street, until the 22d September, every day from 10 till 3.

J. T. PIDWELL,
Victoria, 9th September, 1863. Secretary. se10 1d

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Cargo of the "Romeo,"

Just arrived from London, consisting in part of the Following Goods, viz:—

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BLANKETS, Assorted Colors and Sizes—BLUE PILOT, BEAVER, and FANCY TWEED CLOTH—BLACK and MIXED CASSINET—FANCY PRINTS—MUSLINS—SHIRTING COTTON—UNION TABLE CLOTHS—NURSERY DIAPER—IRISH LINEN—HUCKABACK—TURKISH and HUCKABACK TOWELS, COTTON and LINEN DRILL—CROYDON SHEETING—FLANNEL, Assorted Colors—FINE SAXONY and STRIPED BALTIC Do—LADIES' PLAID SHAWLS, FRENCH MERINO—IRISH POPLINS—BLACK and COLORED VELVET—CARPETING, Brussells, Tapestry, Kidderminster, and Stair—Assorted DOOR MATS—COCOA MATTING, Assorted Widths—AXMINSTER RUGS—GUNNY BAGS, &c., &c.

CLOTHING.

MENS' TWEED COATS—FROCK and PILOT CLOTH OVERCOATS—PILOT CLOTH JACKETS—INVERNESS WRAPPERS—CORDUROY, MOLESKIN, and TWEED TROUSERS—HEAVY TWEED SUITS—BALTIC SHIRTS—LINEN, REGATTA, and SERGE Do.—MERINO and LAMBSWOOL UNDERSHIRTS—CASHMERE, FLANNEL, and LAMBSWOOL DRAWERS—MILITARY and NAVY CAPS, &c., &c.

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SOFT SHELL ALMONDS—FRENCH CAPERS—BELMONT CANDLES—FINE SPERM Do.—PATRAS CURRANTS—CURRIE POWDER—JAMS and JELLIES—SCOTCH MARMALADE—CANDIED CITRON and ORANGE PEELS, Assorted PICKLES and SAUCES—Fine LAYER and SULTANA RAISINS—BASKET SALT—CRASH SUGAR—TWANKAY and HYSON TEA—Fine CONGOU TEA.

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BASS' PALE ALE, in hhds—BASS' Do. in bottle—ALLSOPP'S PALE ALE, in bottle—BYASS' PORTER, in bottle—HOARE & CO.'S PORTER, in hhds—FINE OLD BRANDY, Dark and Pale—OLD TOM GINS, in wood and bottle—SUPERIOR W. I. RUM—IRISH WHISKY—SCOTCH WHISKY—FINE CLARET, in hhds—SUPERIOR PORT, in wood—SUPERIOR PALE SHERRY, in qr casks.

NAVAL STORES.

BUNTING, all colors—OAKUM—PITCH—TAR—MOPS—ROPING and SEAMING TWINE—SEWING PALMS—Assorted PAINTS and OILS, &c., &c.

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CRATES EARTHENWARE—CASKS FINE GLASSWARE—PERFUMERY, SADDLERY—SADDLERS' TOOLS—TINSMITH'S TOOLS, &c., &c.

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They would also call particular attention to their Stock of

HUDSON BAY BLANKETS,

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CLOTHING,	LADIES' CLOAKS,	TOWELING,
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THE WORLD'S FRIEND!

Holloway's Ointment.

A Cure for Piles and Fistulas.

Inflammation of sensitive parts, piles, fistulas, and such like painful diseases may be presently relieved and ultimately cured, by the proper and diligent use of this cooling and healing Ointment, whose action should, in such cases, be assisted by judicious doses of Pills: ere many days have elapsed the anxious patient will experience a wonderful degree of ease from this treatment. They are equally suitable to both sexes, and all ages.

Coughs, Colds, and Asthma.

These complaints of the chest come on with alarming frequency. The Ointment should assiduously be rubbed at least twice a day on the chest and between the shoulders, when the violence of all symptoms will gradually give way, the breathing become longer, and the oppression less. No medicines are more efficient in chest complaints, none can be used with equal safety and certainty. Both Pills and Ointment are accompanied by very clear and simple directions for using them.

A Man who refused to have his Leg off.

"*From the Kilrush Advertiser, June 2nd,* 1860.

BENJAMIN COX, Esquire, Magistrate, said in the Board Room at Kilrush, that he knew a man who had been in the Infirmary and was actually turned out as incurable, on his way home to Kilrush, he purchased at Ennis, Holloway's Pills and Ointment, for, as he said, it could not be worse with him. This man, said Mr. Cox, became by their use as sound and as healthy as any man in the room. These celebrated Pills and Ointment will cure any wound, sore, or ulcer, however long standing, if properly used according to the printed directions.

Gout and Rheumatism.

The essence of these diseases lie in the blood, which has, floating through each vessel, the pain-giving poison, which irritates and inflames every tissue it comes in contact with, and produces the hot, swollen, elastic enlargement about the joints so characteristic of gouty diseases. The philosophy of cure consists in overcoming this depravity in the blood, which is rapidly purified by the use of the Pills. The Ointment, when rubbed upon the skin, penetrates system through the pores, acts in unison with Pills, and soon effects a cure.

Dropsy, Swollen Legs or Ankles.

The various kinds of dropsies, whether windy or watery, arise from some obstruction to the free circulation though the blood vessels or lymphatics, or depend on the inflamed state of some secreting surface. Holloway's remedies, of which the efficacy cannot be exaggerated, act directly upon the blood, the absorbents and secretions, with a power that no dropsy, however inveterate, can long resist. They regulate the proper flow of blood to every organ, and purify it likewise,—they filter out everything that is morbid or injurious,—they thoroughly regenerate every function, yet potent as they are for good, they are powerless for evil. They do not contain mercury or any noxious substances. They act safely and certainly.

Bad Legs, Bad Breasts, and Old Ulcers

This invaluable Ointment was never known to fail in the cure of any wound, any sore, or any ulcer,—as can be proved by innumerable testimonials from persons who had been discharged from Hospitals as incurable, and yet by perseverance they have been made as sound as they were the day they were born, by this incomparable Ointment. For pimples, blotches, scald heads, and scorbutic humours, it is equally efficacious.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:

Bad Legs	Chilblains	Fistulas	Sore-throats
Bad Breasts	Chapped Hands	Gout	Skin-diseases
Burns	Corns (Soft)	Glandular	Scurvy
Bunions	Cancers	Swellings	Sore-heads
Bite of Mosquitoes and Sand-Flies	Contracted and Stiff Joints	Lumbago	Tumours
Coco-bay	Elephantiasis	Piles	Ulcers
Scalds		Rheumatism	Wounds
			Yaws
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